

## State of Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

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August 22, 2016

Lummi Indian Business Council Jill Komoto 2665 Kwina Rd Bellingham, WA 98226-9291

Dear Jill Komoto:

## SUBJECT: YOUR APPLICATION FOR MIDDLE FORK NOOKSACK PORTER REACH PHASE 1, WDFW APPLICATION ID: 7685

On May 9, 2016, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) first received your application materials for a Hydraulic Project Approval (HPA) for the project referenced above.

Your request for a minor modification of your existing HPA has been approved.

You are authorized to continue work associated with the finishing of structure identified as ELJ 1-2-1. This work will be completed no later than August 24th, 2016. The structure currently has been isolated from the flow of the river, has been appropriately de-fished and is under construction. Upon completion of ELJ 1-2-1 all remaining work will be associated with building structures that are located in the dry and do not pose an impact to possible spawning Chinook. Upon completion of structures 1-3-10 and 1-3-11 work to demobilize from the site will include scarifying compacted substrate, removal of temporary bridge crossings, appropriately storing remaining woody debris and full demobilization of project equipment and materials.

Please attach this letter to your HPA on-site.

If you have any questions, please call me at 360-466-4345 Ext:271.

Sincerely,

Joel Ingram Habitat Biologist